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THREATENING ASPECT.

Labor Troubles Cause Turbulent Scenes in Spain.

EXCITING TIMES AT BARCELONA.

Mobs of Howling Men Throw Tram-Cars from the Tracks and Compel the Compositors on the Papers to Quit Work and Join in the Riotous Demonstrations—Troops Arrive and Disperse the Crowds—Socialists Take a Hand.

MADRID, May 3.—The industrial situation in Spain has rapidly assumed a most threatening aspect. The latest advices from Barcelona are up to midnight, and represent the position maintaining in that city as being one which presents many of the sinister phases of social revolution. In addition to the riotous excesses already reported, the tram-cars were prevented from running, some of them being thrown from the tracks and smashed. Mobs of howling, threatening men marched to the various newspaper offices and compelled the compositors to leave their desks and swell the ranks of the law-defyers. As a consequence of this action the newspapers of Barcelona have been compelled to suspend publication. More ominous than any other one incident, however, is the sudden appearance everywhere upon the city walls of flaming placards urging the yet partially segregated demonstrators to form themselves into a compact body for pillage and resistance to the preservation of law and order.

Charged the Stubborn Mob.

Numerous engagements took place between the police and the mob. Repeatedly the horse police charged the stubborn crowds, and as repeatedly were the police men compelled to retreat. Up to a late hour in the evening the great city remained under the almost undisputed control of the enemies of social order, its municipal government and its citizens seemingly paralyzed at the extent and proportions of the sudden danger with which they were confronted. Troops were, however, on their way to the panic-stricken city, and during the evening three regiments of soldiers arrived for its protection.

Death Would Be the Penalty.

Immediately upon the entry of the soldiers the military governor of the district appeared and warned the striking workmen, and the mob element that death would be the penalty meted out to those who attempted to interfere with the liberty of action of such men as chose to continue at work. The troops were then ordered to advance upon the enormous throng which confronted them. The crowd was for the time cowed, and slowly and doggedly dispersed.

A More Confident Feeling.

In the face of the fact that a continuance of disorders was looked for, the public market opened up as usual. Numbers of workmen are also resuming their occupations. With the arrival of the troops has come an increased feeling of confidence, and the authorities declare their ability to repress any future disturbances. Manufacturers and the proprietors of shops have been urged to keep their establishments open, and, in the event of their doing so, have been guaranteed ample protection from mob violence.

The Situation in France.

PARIS, May 3.—The position of affairs in the department of the Nord continues to increase in gravity. At Turcoing the strike has become general, all classes of labor joining the miners in their struggle to bring about an amelioration of existing industrial conditions. The strikers are still successful in their efforts to prevent the small number of workmen who desire to work from reaching their places of employment. So formidable has the movement become that the heavy reenforcements which have already arrived in response to Friday's call do not suffice to restore public confidence.

The Socialists Are Active.

MADRID, May 3.—The executive committee of the Socialist party here has taken a hand in the prevailing labor agitation. The committee has called a mass meeting of workingmen to meet at the music hall. From their meeting there the Socialists propose to march in procession to the residence of Senor Sagasta the prime minister. A petition has been prepared which will be handed to the premier. The petition asks the government to promptly introduce into the cortes a bill making a legal day's work consist of eight hours.

Troops Called in for Strikers.

PARIS, May 3.—The strike at Roubaix is extending to adjacent communes. The strikers attacked Holden's factory at Croix Friday, intending to plunder it. They shattered all the windows and had nearly effected an entrance when the troops arrived and drove them off. The mob then proceeded to the telegraph office and gutted it.

Gladstone Exhorts Labor.

LONDON, May 3.—Gladstone has written a letter to Lloyd's News exhorting the working classes to consider closely their present position. There may come a time, he says, when labor will be too strong for capital, and may use its strength unjustly, but capital will surely hold its own.

Took the Bishop's Advice.

DUBLIN, May 3.—Acting on the advice of Archbishop Walsh, the striking employes of the Great Southern and Western Railway company have resumed work on the modified terms submitted by the company's directors.

CHICAGO LABOR TROUBLES.

Temporary Settlement of the Sash, Door and Blind Workers' Strike.

CHICAGO, May 3.—The strike of the sash, door and blind workers in the lumber district was settled temporarily Saturday morning in more than half the factories, the employers granting the eight hour day until Monday when a final answer to the demand will be given. The employers say the concession will not be extended beyond next Monday unless the eight-hour day is made universal. The offer of eight hours and eight hours' pay to the 400 sash, door and blind workers on strike at the C. J. L. Meyer & Son's company was refused, the men saying they would have eight hours with nine hours' pay or nothing.

Marble Cutters Out.

"You needn't go to work in the morning, boys, unless the bosses give you eight hours and nine hours' pay," was the word the walking delegate of the Marble-Cutters' union passed quietly around to the men at all the retail marble-cutting yards Friday night. That meant that 2,000 men would go on strike. True to their word, not a mallet was lifted or a chisel used at any of the retail yards except where the demands were granted. At some of the yards the bosses granted the request, but at most places it was refused.

Many Iron Workers at Work.

With the exception of the employes at the Malleable iron works, many of the iron workers have returned to work and their demands granted with the understanding that they shall return to the old standard in the case of the demands being not generally acceded to. The McCormick factory is running with a reduced force. There was no sign Saturday of trouble along the celebrated "black road."

Situation at Boston.

BOSTON, May 3.—The third day of the carpenters strike in this city finds the situation practically unchanged, though the men see in it nothing to lower their confidence of success but rather a few things to increase that confidence. A thousand men gathered in the Tremont Temple Saturday. The leaders delivered speeches urging the men to stand firm.

The Freestone Cutters' Strike.

BOSTON, May 3.—At a meeting of the locked out freestone cutters, it was shown that not one cutter had gone to work in the locked out yards, and President Curley claimed that from reliable sources of information, he was warranted in saying that the New England freestone contractors did not have fifty cutters in their employ.

Miners Demand a Raise.

BLOOMINGTON, Ills., May 3.—The miners near this city have made a demand for 17½ cents a ton raise in the price of mining. The company refused, and stated if the men struck they would close the mine indefinitely.

Away Out in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—About 2,000 carpenters, joiners and mill workers have struck for the eight hour day. The mill owners declare they will resolutely fight against the demand.

A DARING EXPERIMENT.

A Man Drops from a Suspension Bridge to Test a Fire Escape.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., May 3.—Q. J. Athey, of Marion, Ark., dropped from the upper suspension bridge into a small boat waiting for him in the river below. The distance is about 200 feet, and he was aided by an aluminum steel tape. His time of descent was four seconds. The object was to test the tape as a fire escape from tall buildings. One end of the tape was fastened to the bridge, and the rest of it was wound around a small reel. This reel Athey grasped in his hand, and pressing the brake attachment could descend with lightning rapidity or stop at will.

Another Test Made.

When about two feet from the water, and while hanging at the end of over 190 feet of the tape, he had his picture taken. His weight is 135 pounds, and the tape has a sustaining power of 750 pounds. Athey also fastened his line to a tree on Goat Island and dropped over the cliff and descended to the slope midway between the stairway leading to the Cave of the Winds and the American Falls. Had the wire parted he would certainly have met death on the rocks below.

Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review.

NEW YORK, May 3.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says that the outlook for industries and legitimate trade is distinctly less favorable, owing to damage to wheat and cotton and labor disturbances. The markets at Chicago have been much influenced by information of injury to wheat. From St. Paul, Omaha, and Milwaukee reports of the outlook are more favorable, but short crops of winter wheat and of cotton would be felt next fall. As yet the markets for materials have not been much affected, though sales of lumber are restricted in some cities. The immediate prospect is that many industries may be to some extent disturbed for weeks to come.

Royalty at a Stanley Reception.

LONDON, May 3.—Stanley was entertained at a reception Friday night by the Emin Pey relief committee. The Prince of Wales presided. Among those present were the Princess of Wales and her daughter, Princess Victoria; the duke and duchess of Edinburgh, the lord mayor and other notable persons. The Prince of Wales welcomed Mr. Stanley in the name of the people of England, and proposed a vote of thanks to Stanley, which was carried by acclamation.

The Speech Aided the Bill.

LONDON, May 3.—Balfour's brilliant speech on the Irish land purchase bill in the house of commons immensely aided the bill and greatly added to his reputation as an orator. The speech was remarkably free from the biting sarcasm and incisive invective which usually characterize the declamatory efforts of the Irish secretary, and his political opponents have freely joined with the members of his own party in extending their congratulations.

Suits to Recover Lands.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 3.—Suits to recover 10,000,000 acres of land from Texas railroads on the ground that they were illegally granted from the public free school reservation have been overruled. The cases were originally decided for the state, but the decision was reversed and the cases dismissed. This last decision was made in regard to a motion for a rehearing.

California Crop Prospects.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—The Chronicle has reports from all the counties of the state, giving an estimate of the crop prospects for this season. While the grain has suffered in many of the large counties owing to the excessive rains, the dispatches show that the quality of both wheat and barley will be good, and the yield of all kinds of fruit will be enormous.

A Collision at Sea.

LONDON, May 3.—The British steamer Saltwick collided with the British steamer Mount Olivet at Gibraltar, and the latter was so badly damaged that she sank. The Mount Olivet was an iron, screw steamer of 1,639 tons, and was bound from Iloilo to Montreal.

Missing from Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 3.—B. W. Briggs, a newspaper man from Arkansas, who came here to buy a house and lot in the suburbs, has been missing nearly a week, and foul play is feared. Mr. Briggs had a considerable amount of money with him when last seen.

An Inventor in Trouble.

BOSTON, May 3.—William H. Gilman, an inventor, with headquarters at 209 Washington street, has failed. His liabilities amount to $46,000, of which $5,800 is secured and $34,800 partially secured.

BUNCOED THE PRIEST.

A Catholic Prelate Worked by Confidence Men.

POORER BY A THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Two Men Rob Him of His Money and Leave a Baby in Its Place—Terrible Murder of an Old Lady and Her Daughter at Baltimore—A Relative Arrested on Suspicion—Record of Wicked Doings.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 3.—The Rev. Thomas Ariens, rector of St. Joseph's Catholic church, a priest who is 70 years old and widely known for his kindness of heart, was bunkoed out of $1,000 in an ingenious manner. Two men of French descent called on Father Ariens, and one of them said he had been married two years, but had separated from his wife. He said he had a child 1 year old, about whose future he was very anxious. He was a Catholic, he said, and his wife being a Protestant, he did not want the child brought up under the auspices of her religion. He implored Father Ariens to take the child and bring it up as a Catholic. He offered to give the priest $1,000 in cash if he would do so.

The Father Was Pleased.

Father Ariens finally agreed to the proposition, and told the father he would give the child and money to St. Joseph's convent, at Hartford. This pleased the father, who said he and his companion would leave the $1,000 at the priest's house the next day, and would accompany him to Hartford, where he would in their presence pay the officials at St. Joseph's convent $1,000 for the care of the child. Then they would leave him, and he would have their $1,000 at his house. Father Ariens assented, and the next day a lady dressed in black appeared with a bright baby boy, and left it with the priest's housekeeper.

Handed the Money Over.

Shortly afterward the two men came with a large trunk and were admitted. The father of the child took from the trunk a small tin box, and opening it disclosed a roll of money which he counted in Father Ariens' presence, and which contained $1,000. The money was put back in the box, and the box placed in the trunk. The men then asked the priest to produce his money, and Father Ariens handed the father of the child a roll containing $1,000. The father placed this in the box with the other $1,000, and asked the priest to retire with him and his companion to another room, where they could discuss the child's future.

Skipped with the Boodle.

Father Ariens took them into another apartment, and in a few minutes the men asked leave to retire together to discuss certain details. They went back into the room where the trunk was, and not returning for a considerable time Father Ariens followed them, only to discover that the men, trunk, and money had disappeared. The child is still at the parochial residence, but nothing has been heard of the two men.

ONLY WANTED TO "WING" HIM.

A Minneapolis Painter Shot by the Girl He Would Not Marry.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 3.—Morris M. Durham, a painter by trade and a brother of Alderman George Durham of the Third ward, was shot and fatally injured by Emma Schmidt, a young German girl, about 10 o'clock in the evening. She went to his house in North Minneapolis, called him to the door, and fired one shot from a revolver as he stepped in front of her. The bullet pierced his left lung and the physician says that he cannot live.

Didn't Promise to Marry Her.

After her arrest she charged him with seduction under promise of marriage. Their intimacy had been going on for a year and a half, she said, and he had often promised to marry her. She could not endure his failure to keep his promises, but when he married another woman that was too much. Durnham denies that he seduced the girl or ever promised to marry her, but acknowledges that he did go about considerably with her and paid her considerable attention in one way or another. The girl is about 21 years of age and very prepossessing. She says that she didn't mean to kill Durnham, she only wanted to "wing" him.

He's on the Marry.

BRYAN, Ohio, May 3.—A. S. Lawrence, a Cleveland detective has been here this week after C. W. Kent, of many aliases, on a charge of grand larceny and bigamy. Kent corresponded with Miss Ritter, of Pioneer, Williams county. He came here, hired a livery rig and went to Pioneer and brought the lady to Bryan. He was married by Rev. Priddy and stayed at a hotel all night. In the morning Kent was gone. He has married twice in two weeks by all accounts, his name appearing in the city dailies under the head of correspondents wanted.

Terrible Double Murder.

BALTIMORE, May 3.—Mrs. Sarah Blaney, aged 70, and her daughter, Caroline, aged 45, living at 1035 Greenmount avenue, were Saturday morning found dead in bed, their skulls crushed and their bodies terribly mutilated. The house had been ransacked from top to bottom. Mrs. Blaney sold some property recently for which she received $1,800 in cash. The coroner has found $900 concealed in the old woman's bed. A grand-son of the old lady, William Blaney, who has an unsavory reputation, has been arrested on suspicion.

A Horrible Triple Tragedy.

QUEBEC, May 3.—News reached here of the suicide at Spragueville, N. Y., of Abel Bergeron, who swallowed rat poison after killing his two young children with the same poison. He had eloped from Eboulements, Que., with a French Canadian girl named Lucie, who seems to have deserted him, for he left a letter, saying: "I have nothing now to live for. My blonde Lucie is dead to me forever."

A Murderer Surrenders.

DETROIT, Mich., May 3.—A special to The News from Lansing, Mich., says: Carl Keroski, the self-confessed murderer of George Quepoff, at Green Bay, Wis., has been in hiding here since Sunday at the home of his brother. Friday night he walked into police headquarters and surrendered himself. He started for Wisconsin Saturday morning in company with an officer.

Patti Reaches Queenstown.

QUEENSTOWN, May 3.—Madame Patti-Nicolini has arrived here on the steamer Etruria. The diva enjoys excellent health and spirits.

GORDON TO THE NEGROES.

He Addresses a Convention of Colored Men from Different States.

NEW YORK, May 3.—A Times special from Atlanta, Ga., says: Governor Gordon addressed a convention of representative colored men from different states. The convention had previously passed resolutions reciting the injustice done their race, and asking the governors and legislatures of the southern states to protect them, and expressing their disbelief that there is any solution of the race problem in emigration. Governor Gordon reviewed the legislation since the war in order to show that the whole purpose of the radical party in dealing with the negroes had been political and not humanitarian or philanthropic.

Increased Education.

He took up the statistics which showed the real increase in the education of colored children since the southern white people came into power, and the increase of property held by negroes, and then asked them if there was a sensible man among them who thought they could do better in another country. While he felt that it would be a grave error for the colored men, still if they desired to emigrate he should erect no barrier, but by all means at his command would facilitate their going. He did not wish them to leave this country, for he felt an abiding assurance that if wise counsel prevailed, it would be found better for both races that they should remain peaceably in their southern homes.

ATTENTION, UNCLE SAMUEL.

A Community in Which a Little Coercion Wouldn't Be Bad.

NEW YORK, May 3.—A Herald special from Paris, Tex., says: Information reaches here of a reign of terror that prevails at Lehigh, I. T., a mining town of about 1,200 inhabitants in the Choctaw nation, on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway. There is no municipal government and the border toughs have collected there and acknowledge allegiance to no law. The Indian authorities are powerless and those of the United States are thwarted. Until a few weeks ago there was a semblance of order, but the city marshal was compelled to resign, being informed that if he failed to do so he would be lynched.

A Secret Society Runs Things.

In defiance of the laws of the United States and the Indian country the vilest of liquors are sold. Murder is by no means uncommon. There is a secret organization in the town, similar to the Molly Maguires, that terrorizes the whole population. There are some respectable people in the place, but all they have depends upon their silence, and they acquiesce in the lawless deeds. Recently an attempt was made to organize a municipal government, but the lawless element elected the officers. Last Saturday night City Marshal Roberts was murdered while trying to arrest Jean Demond, a French miner.

Slugging at the "Gladstone" Club.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 3.—At the regular meeting of the Gladstone club here George Dixon and Bob Green, the Boston colored fighters, sparred three rounds, all of which were in favor of Dixon. Barney Hubbard and Dan McGiven, of Boston, 120-pound men, met in a fifteen-round contest for $250 trophy. Hubbard had things his own way from the start, and in the third round knocked his opponent out so effectually that McGiven remained unconscious for half an hour. Another fight took place, in which one of the sluggers broke his arm in the seventh round, but continued fighting for nineteen more rounds, giving up finally, crying like a baby.

The Contract Will Expire.

JOLIET, Ill., May 3.—The contract of the big barbed-wire industry now running in the penitentiary will expire in July and the convict contract-labor bill prevents another lease. It is operated by the Ashley Wire company. The company Friday bought the property and works of the Northwestern Tile company, in the southwestern suburbs of Joliet, for $16,000. The purchase includes a 105-horse water power, which will also be used for running electric lights and the manufacture of nails. The company employs 200 men.

Died of Nervous Prostration.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 3.—Miss Annie Camak has died at Athens, Ga., from nervous prostration, which originated in the shock she sustained by witnessing the fatal leap of Mrs. Tracy at the time the secretary's house at Washington was burned. Miss Camak lived opposite the Tracy mansion. She was sent south by her physicians to recuperate, but her health continued to fail. She formerly lived here where she was a leader in society and very popular.

Captain and Four Seamen Drowned.

VALPARAISO, May 3.—It is reported here that while in latitude 55 degrees, longitude 75 degrees west, the British steamship Inchiapa Rock, bound for Queenstown from San Francisco, Feb. 24, was caught in a violent storm. The vessel's decks were swept, and Capt. Armour and four seamen were washed overboard and drowned. The same reports represent that the Inchiape Rock was compelled to jettison a part of her cargo.

Left His Debts Behind.

CONCORD, N. H., May 3.—Willard White, proprietor of a stock farm here, went away a few days ago with his wife, leaving debts amounting to $10,000, and all his property mortgaged. He is not charged with intent to defraud, and the failure is attributed to legitimate causes. He is understood to be in Pennsylvania. The farm will be sold at auction Wednesday.

Death of Bishop Borgess.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., May 3.—Bishop Casper Borgess, who was stricken with paralysis at St. Augustine's deanery last Sunday night, died at 1:10 o'clock a. m. Saturday, aged 62 years. He had been failing each day, but remained conscious until near the end. The burial will probably be in this city, but the time of the funeral is not yet known.

Killed by a Blow on the Head.

COLDWATER, Kan., May 3.—C. M. Miles, a leading attorney, and Dr. Pritchards met on the street and came to blows. The latter was brought to the ground by a blow on the head with a revolver. He was picked up unconscious by friends and taken home, where he died. Miles has escaped.

Voluntary Manslaughter.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., May 3.—The jury has returned a verdict of voluntary manslaughter in the case of Fletta Weaver for the killing of her father-in-law and Andrew Weaver.

SUDDENLY SUMMONED.

Senator Beck Drops Dead in a Railway Station.

HE HAD JUST COME FROM NEW YORK

And When About to Enter the Baltimore and Potomac Depot Fell Suddenly Dead—The Senate Immediately Adjourns When Notified of the Kentucky Statesman's Untimely End—Speaker Reed's Presidential Boom.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 3.—Senator Beck, of Kentucky, dropped dead at the Baltimore and Potomac railroad station at a few moments after 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. He spent Friday in New York city and had just arrived on the 4 o'clock train from that city. He alighted from the train, and while passing into the station, fell, and immediately expired. The news of his death was telephoned to the senate, and upon its announcement, the senate at once adjourned.

SENATOR BECK.

Sketch of His Career.

James B. Beck was born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland, Feb. 13, 1822; received an academic education in Scotland; graduated as a lawyer at Transylvania university, Lexington, Ky., in March, 1846, and practiced there, never holding any office until elected a representative in the Fortieth, Forty-first, Forty-second, and Forty-third congress; declined a re-election as representative; was elected to the United States senate as a Democrat, to succeed John W. Stevenson, Democrat, took his seat March 5, 1877, and was re-elected in 1882 and 1888. His term of service would have expired March 3, 1895.

REED AND THE PRESIDENCY.

His Name Cheered at the North Carolina Republican Association.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 3.—Speaker Reed's presidential boom keeps jogging along. At the last monthly meeting of the North Carolina Republican association, which was attended by a large number of visitors from other state associations, one of the notable features was the great applause which greeted every mention of the name of Speaker Reed. John H. Smith told the meeting that "if the Republicans should name a leader in 1892 with the backbone and the grit of Tom Reed the Republican party will sweep the country." He said: "The country wants a president who has the courage to give a Republican administration and make possible a free ballot and a fair count in every township, county, and state in the Union, and Tom Reed has that kind of courage."

Presidential Nominations.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 3.—The president has sent to the senate the following nominations: J. S. Durham, of Pennsylvania, to be consul of the United States at San Domingo. Henry L. Whiting, of New York, to be a member of the Mississippi river commission. D. E. Pryant, of Texas, United States district judge for the eastern district of Texas. Isaac Ullman, of Iowa, assistant appraiser of merchandise, district of New Orleans.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 3.—The senate Friday passed the customs administrative bill and the house defeated the international copyright bill, but a motion to reconsider and another to lay that motion on the table were pending at adjournment.

The house Saturday passed the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill.

Ordered to Brazil.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 3.—The squadron of evolution, now in European waters, has been ordered to proceed to Brazil.

MATRIMONY WITH AN "IF."

New Style of Putting on the Nuptial Halter Just Out at 'Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—Since the Sharon divorce case San Francisco has gained notoriety for its extraordinary marriage contracts, but the queerest document on record just here reads: "Recognizing the eternal laws of nature and marriage as to the right relation of sexes, and recognizing also the natural equality of women, and believing her advent upon this planet was the same as that of man, not as recorded by Christian nor other gods, we by these presents make known to all whom it may concern that we hereby assume the relationship of husband and wife and agree to love and cherish each other through life if we possibly can." The parties to the contract are Henry F. Ebers, German, 50 years of age, and a resident of Cazadero, Cal., and Nellie J. Lenout, an Englishwoman 50 years of age, and a resident of Northfield, Minn. Ebers applied to a notary public to acknowledge the contract, but the notary advised Ebers to jump overboard because he was insane.

Made Good the Loss.

BEDFORD, Iowa, May 3.—Seven years ago P. C. King, the county treasurer, was alleged to be a defaulter to the extent of $14,800. He was tried for embezlement and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary, but appealed, and his case is still before the courts. Suit was brought against his bondsmen and they were held liable for the amount of the alleged defalcation and interest, a total of $18,000. They deposited that sum here and reimbursed the county for its loss. King is living in Chicago.

Eloped with a Circus Man.

CINCINNATI, May 3.—It leaked out Friterday morning that Miss Leonora Smith, daughter of ex-Mayor Smith, and John Robinson, Jr., the showman, slipped over to Gretna Green from Maysville, Ky., and were married by the famous Squire Beasley. Miss Smith's father, who is now United States collector at this port, denies the story, but his language shows that he is not altogether sure about it.

A Burglar Disguised as a Woman.

EMPORIA, Kan., May 3.—A burglar was discovered in the residence of T. J. Acheson, and the neighborhood was aroused. It proved to be a man disguised in woman's clothing. He was closely pursued and shot at several times, but finally escaped, though not without being wounded. Many burglaries have been committed here recently.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

California's fruit crop is expected to be the largest on record in that state.

The wholesale grocery house of Poole, Gilliam & Co., at Dubuque, Iowa, assigned Friday. Their liabilities are estimated at $44,000 and their assets at $45,000.

Business failures during the week numbered 211, against 218 last week, and 214 in the corresponding week of 1889.

A large meteor is reported to have passed through the heavens Friday afternoon over Iowa cities, making in its progress a noise resembling reports of cannon.

Friday, at Toledo, Ohio, Mme. De Vere, a clairvoyant, was found guilty of forgery to the extent of $25,000, the name of a wealthy iron manufacturer of Youngstown being used.

Moses Fraley, the St. Louis grain speculator, who recently failed, has compromised with his creditors for 40 cents on the dollar.

At Lima, Ohio, Friday, a freight train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road collided with one on the Pittsburg, Akron and Western at a crossing, and one engineer and two tramps were killed.

A man in Collins, Medina county, Ohio, has a piece of pine board seven-eighths of an inch thick which had a wheat straw driven through it by the recent cyclone.

Two factions in the town of Morristown, Ark., are at war. The trouble between the families of Dukes and Armstrongs has spread and already resulted in several street fights. Further trouble is feared.

In the United States district court at Dubuque, Iowa, Friday judgment was entered against the stockholders in the defunct Commercial National bank for the full amount of their stock.

Frank Williams, convicted of robbing a stage near Downieville, Cal., of United States mails some months ago, was Friday sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Bertie Fisch, the soubrette, and Louis Harrison, the comedian of the Pearl of Pekin company, who were injured in the Baltimore and Ohio railroad wreck, are both in a critical condition.

Theodore Weinhaus, superintendent of the city water works at St. Cloud, Minn., has disappeared, after raising $1,000 or more on worthless checks. A woman, it is said, figures in the case.

Sir Moses Montefiore's book will make a sensation. It treats very largely of the persecution of the Jews in Russia, and is expected to have a large sale in England and this country.

John Oates and Gregory Squires, two miners at Butte, Mont., fell down the shaft of a mine Friday and were killed.

The new cruiser Baltimore is to arrive at the Brooklyn navy yard May 10. The Dolphin, Galena, and Kearsarge will arrive a few weeks later.

Terrible Effects of the Flood.

RALEIGH, N. C., May 3.—Letters received by negroes at Tarboro from other negroes who last November went to Louisiana from Edgecombe county, this state, bring the news that seventy-eight of them have been drowned or died there in the last fortnight. The party which has thus lost nearly all its members were taken south by Dr. Hall. The news from the flood districts causes great alarm among the negroes in eastern North Carolina, and does more than all else to check the exodus.

Wants a Supplementary Credit Grant.

BERLIN, May 3.—The government has decided to call upon the reichstag at its approaching session for a supplementary credit grant of 4,000,000 marks. The demand is made necessary by reason of extraordinary expenditures in connection with the prosecution, by Maj. Wissmann, of German interests in east Africa.

There Was No Express Robbery.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 3.—Superintendent Murray, of this city, who has charge of the Wells-Fargo route on the Southern Pacific between San Antonio and New Orleans, emphatically denies that any robbery took place at Eagle Lake or any other place on the line as reported.

Death of a Prominent Frenchman.

PARIS, May 3.—Gen. Henri Francois Xavier Grosle, formerly minister of war, is dead, at the age of 71 years. He was a life senator and a commander of the Legion of Honor. He took a prominent part in the African campaigns and in the Franco Prussian war.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 3.

Following are the quotations on the board of trade to-day: Wheat—No. 2 May opened 95c, closed 9 c; June, opened 91⅝, closed 97c; July, opened 91⅝c, closed 93⅛c. Corn—No. 2 May, opened 33¾c, closed 35⅞c; June, opened 34c, closed 34¼c; July, opened 34¾c, closed 34⅞c. Oats—No. 2 May, opened 25⅝c, closed 25½; June, opened 25c, closed 25⅛c; July, opened 25c, closed 25⅛c. Pork—May, opened and closed $13.10; June, opened and closed $13.2; July, opened $13.35, closed $13.30. Lard—June, opened $6.47½, closed $6.42½.

Live stock—Union stock yards prices were quoted as follows: Hogs—Market opened active and strong, with prices 5c lower; light grades, $4.05@4.25; rough packing, $4.1@4.15; mixed lots, $4.10@4.25; heavy packing and shipping lots, $4.15@4.35.

Produce: Butter—Finest creamery, 16@17c per lb; finest dairy, 12½@15c; packing stock, 5@6. Eggs—Strictly fresh, 11c per doz. Poultry—Chickens, 8½@9c per lb; spring chickens, $2.00@2.50 per doz; turkeys, 9@14c per lb; ducks, 11@13c; geese $4.00@6.00 per doz. Potatoes on track—Common and mixed, 25@30c per bu; Peerless, 35@40c per bu; Beauty of Hebron, 43@45c per bu; Burbanks, 48@50 per bu. Illinois sweet potatoes, good to choice, $3.50@3.75 per bbl. Apples—Fair to choice, $3.00@4.50 per bbl.

New York.

NEW YORK, May 3.

Wheat—No. 2 red winter, $1.03¾ cash; do May, $1.01⅜c; do June, $1.00c; do July, 98⅝c. Corn—No. 2 mixed cash, 44⅛c; do May, 41⅞c; do June, 41c¾. Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white cash, 34⅝c; do May, 32⅞c; do June, 31⅜c; do July, 31⅜c. Rye—Dull. Barley—Nominal. Pork—Dull; mess, $14.00@14.25 for new. Lard—Quiet; June, $6.71; July, $6.83; August, $6.93.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, Ohio, May 3.

Wheat—Higher and active; cash and May, 95⅛c; July, 94c; August, 92c. Corn—Strong and active; cash and May, 35c; July, 36⅛c. Oats—Firm; cash and May, 27⅛c bid. Clover seed—Firm; cash, $3.50, October, $3.90.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 3.

Wheat—Higher; cash, and July, 89⅝c; August, 87⅝c. Corn—Higher; July, 33⅜c; August, 32⅞c. Pork—Unchanged. Lard—Unchanged.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 3.

Wheat—Active: No. 2 spring on track cash, 89@90c; July, 89⅛c; No. 1 northern, 94@95c. Corn—Steady; No. 3 on track, 33⅛c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 white on track, 28⅛c. Rye—Steady; No. 1 in store, 51¼@51½c. Barley—Quiet: No. 2 in store, 45⅛c.

Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., May 3.

Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 93c bid; No. 2 red cash, and May, 96⅛c; July, 93c asked; August, 91⅛c. Corn—No. 2 cash, May, and June, 35c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 29c; No. 2 white cash, 30⅛c.

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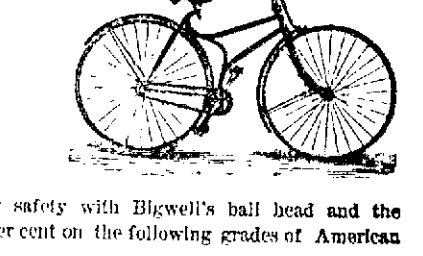

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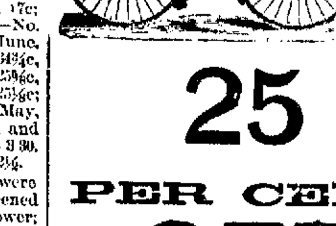

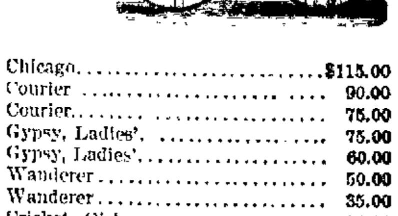

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SUNDAY, MAY, 4, 1890.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The democrats of Macon county, Illinois, will meet in county convention at the court house in the city of Decatur on

SATURDAY, MAY 31, 1890,

at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the following purposes towit:

The election of nine (9) delegates to the democratic state convention to be held at Springfield on June 4th, 1890, said delegates to be instructed for or against the policy of the naming of a candidate for U. S. Senator by the state convention, and also the selection of delegates to the congressional convention, the senatorial convention, and the judicial conventions to be held at such times and places as the several committees may determine.

By a resolution of the county central committee, the primaries for the selection of delegates to said county convention will be held in each precinct of the county on Saturday, May 24, unless the precinct chairman shall otherwise direct. It was also ordered that at each precinct primary there shall be chosen a member of the county central committee and also a precinct committee of five members to act as an advisory committee to the member of the county committee for that precinct, who is, ex officio chairman of the precinct committee.

The members of the county central committee elect will meet at Decatur on May 31, immediately following adjournment of the county convention for the purpose of perfecting organization.

The several precincts in the county will be entitled to delegates as follows on the basis one delegate for each forty votes cast for Cleveland and Thurman in 1888 and one delegate for each fraction over twenty:

	VOTES	DEL
Decatur No. 1	162	4
" " 2	109	3
" " 3	152	4
" " 4	149	4
" " 5	138	3
" " 6	120	3
" " 7	106	3
" " 8	155	4
" " 9	231	6
" " 10	186	5
" " 11	72	2
Austin	87	2
Blue Mound	119	3
Friends Creeks	195	5
Harristown	112	3
Hickory Point	107	3
Illini	125	3
Long Creek	137	3
Macon	159	4
Maroa No. 1	169	4
" " 2	69	2
Milam	47	1
Mt. Zion	151	4
Niantic	197	5
Oakley	139	3
Pleasant View	186	5
Wheatland	130	3
Whitmore	103	3

All democratic voters are earnestly requested to attend the primaries.

By order of the Democratic County Central Committee.
J. P. DRENNAN, Chairman.
CHARLES C. LEFORGEE, Secretary.

AN URGENT INVITATION.

At Springfield Friday was held a conference of representatives of the agricultural and labor organizations of the state of Illinois. The organizations represented were the Patrons of Husbandry, more familiarly known as the Grange, the Farmers' Alliance, the Farmers' Mutual Benefit Association and the Knights of Labor. The conference was entirely harmonious, and officers were elected for the federation with J. M. Thompson, of Joliet, as president. What THE REVIEW especially wants to call attention to is the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

We, the representatives of the agricultural and labor organizations of the state of Illinois, in conference met, express ourselves in unmistakable terms that our future success and welfare must depend on concerted action, and that we recommend to the different organizations as their representatives, that steps should be taken as speedily as possible to accomplish a consolidation or confederation of the same. Our different organizations, in authorized assemblies, have passed resolutions declaring their principles and the reforms that they demand in language that can not be misunderstood, and therefore we think it unnecessary to reiterate the same at this time, knowing that these declarations have gone forth; that they cannot be misunderstood by the intelligent citizens of this great commonwealth.

Resolved, That since this organization is made up of members of all political parties, each member is expected to be a missionary in his own party, that only men favorable to our reasonable demands be nominated for offices in which they may affect our interests as a class. We, as members of the different parties, expect to find them in the ranks from respective parties, but should we be disappointed, we shall be excused if we insist on voting for our friends. We further recommend to our members that they take an active and leading part in political primaries and conventions of all parties, and that they give expression to their views and wishes in such primaries and conventions by instructions to delegates, and resolutions, unmistakable in terms upon subjects of political economy now before the country.

Resolved, That the organizations here represented are in no wise political in a party sense, and therefore we recommend that we shall make no state nominations as a separate party, but that in legislative, senatorial and congressional nominations we demand of all candidates that they be publicly pledged to maintain the principles and demands herein set forth, and that we will support no candidates not so pledged.

Resolved, That we demand free and unlimited coinage of silver; that this country needs, and we demand, a circulating medium commensurate with the requirements of the commercial interests of the producing classes, that we further demand an amendment to the constitution of the United States, requiring United States senators to be elected by a direct vote of the people; that we demand the enactment of a national law, which will prohibit the dealing in futures of all agricultural products; that we are uncompromisingly opposed to the principle of taxing the many for the benefit of the few, and are therefore in favor of a graduated income tax.

We demand that the railroad and warehouse commissioners be elected by a direct vote of the people, and that the present commissioners be urged to take immediate action on the complaints now pending for overcharges on live stock.

Now to make this practical.

In Macon county we have to deal with only the Knights of Labor and the F. M. B. A. To all the democratic members of these organizations THE REVIEW wants to say a few plain words in behalf of the democratic party in this county.

On the 31st day of May will be held the Macon county convention of the democratic party. On the previous Saturday, the 24th of May, will be held in all the precincts primaries for the selection of delegates to the county convention. This convention is to choose delegates to the different conventions in which you are interested. In other words, this is one of the conventions in which the conference urges you to "take an active leading part" and asks you "to give expression to your views and wishes by instructions to delegates," etc.

In the behalf of the democracy THE REVIEW invites you to take part in both primaries and convention. Here is a chance to put your declartion into effect. The democratic party claims to be the friend of the farmer and the laborer. Here is the time and place to put that portion of the democratic party within your reach to the test.

Majority rule is the cardinal principle of the democracy. If the democratic members of the F. M. B. A. and the K. of L. want to see progress toward the reform they demand let them turn out at the primaries, send in their delegates to the county convention and they will find that both they and their ideas as laid down by this Springfield conference will find a hearty welcome and a cordial indorsement.

Do you complain that you cannot get the right kind of men to represent you. THE REVIEW invites you to enter the democratic primaries as democrats, be "missionaries in your own party" as the resolutions put it, and select such men as you can trust. The democratic party will back you straight through the fight.

Unlimited coinage of silver and a circulating medium commensurate with the requirements of the commercial interests of the producing classes This is good Illinois democracy.

The election of U. S. Senators by the people direct, is what the democrats of Illinois are working for, and even this year they intend to submit the name in advance of their candidate, as the best possible substitute, and will ask the voters to indorse by their ballots the statesmanship of John M. Palmer.

The graduated income tax, the stopping of dealing in futures on agricultural products, are vital blows at the republican party which the democracy would gladly strike, and the election of railroad and warehouse commissioners by the people is pure democracy and must appeal to the better judgment of every sensible voter.

If members of the F. M. B. A. and K. of L. here in Macon county will follow the advice of the Springfield conference they can and will make their power felt at the democratic county convention. Keep the date in mind. Remember that now is the time for action. You are invited to participate as democrats. You have in your power to nominate your "friends." Don't sit back on your dignity and then complain because your "friends" were left out, but exercise your rights and opportunities, and you will find that at least here in Macon county, you can get what you are asking for from the democratic party.

A PROPOSITION.

We are now in receipt of a circular from the mineralized Rubber company, of New York, stating that the tariff on printer's felts has been doubled. It was formerly about 53 per cent on value; it will be 105 per cent, that is if the McKinley becomes a law. We are told that this is done for the benefit of a few flax mills in the United States, "for every one of the hands employed in which it is safe to say that 100 are employed in printing and by the press."

Now this gives us a chance to howl on our own account. We would like to know what business McKinley has to come in and rob the poor printer, and the still poorer editor? It seems that when a duty is proposed the consumer should be consulted The Ohio man may tell some people that the duty is not a tax, but it was thought that even he had sense enough to keep such a speech out of the newspaper offices. The duty has been doubled, and we know that we have got to pay it. The fellows who sell printer's felt send in price lists with the following warning marked in red ink: "Prices subject to alteration without notice." The alteration will come with a vengeance just as soon as Harrison signs the Ohio tariff bill. There will be an unappreciated rise in price just about that time. The trouble is it will strike a democratic office as well as a republican.

And this is what worries us. If we could arrange the matter so South Water and North Main would be compelled to pay the extra tariff for us we would be willing to smile while they did the patriotic act. And we think they ought to pay it, for they come at us every day with an assurance that the payment of such bills costs them nothing They have an arrangement by which the importer pays, and we think the friendly spirit that permeates the entire journalistic guild warrants us in asking them to lend us a helping hand since such an act will cost them nothing. We have never been able to get sight of the importer, and he treats our letters asking for a rebate with a "dignified silence" that would make Quay shiver. We know that we have to pay a good round figure; and, if we can do no better, we are willing to pay our republican contemporaries 50 per cent of the amount of which it is proposed to bilk us if they will settle the tariff bills that come to this office. As they can do the little trick without expense here is a chance for them to engage with the tariff at a profit.

Will they accept?—not much. They are wise enough to get their patriotism as cheap as possible. We suspect that they really pay for their own and that they cant afford to sell it to us at 50 cents on the dollar. But we will see—if they really have a scheme by which they beat the tariff, they will take us up.

QUAY says that he will not resign as chairman of the Republican National Committee, because "such action would please the democrats too well." It is suspected that Quay is not on this earth for the purpose of pleasing anybody but himself. They tell us that President Harrison has asked for his resignation, and the country is full of other distinguished republicans who ask him to break away from his "dignified silence;" this is tantamount to a request for the resignation of the Pennsylvania gentleman. While the silence continues we dont know that the democratic party has anything to gain by the removal of Quay from the National Committee. While he is at the head of that committee he must continue to have a strong pull with Harrison and those other republicans who aspire to the presidency.

If it will take a general and armed insurrection to remove Quay, we say let him remain where he is. The result is not worth the labor; and there is a peaceable way to remove him in 1892. The people of this country are surely able to beat any political organization that finds its foremost expression in the rather coarse work of Quay. Appeals to the moral intelligence of the Nation ought to fall tolerably flat when signed by a man who doesn't think it worth his while to deny a charge of embezzlement. He moves along as if the charge were another feather in his cap. It may be so, as he looks at things; but the people may conclude to think in different fashion. And if they do, the nominee who sends out Quay as his representative will have a row of boulders to hoe.

Let him stay on the committee; or, better still, nominate him for president.

Probate Court

The will of Abraham Eyman, deceased, was admitted to probate yesterday. After providing for the payment of his funeral expenses and just debts, he disposed of his property as follows: To his widow, Clarissa Eyman, he left the household goods and $1,000; to his daughter, Nancy C. Anderson, $1,000; to each of his sons, James M., Isaac O., Henry H. and Jerome Eyman, one fourth of all money derived from the sale of houses, lots, lands and personal property not otherwise bequeathed. John D. McGuire and James M. Eyman were named as executors, and are privileged to use their own judgment as to the mode of sale, whether private or public, etc.

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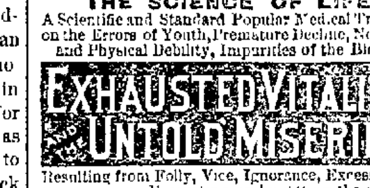

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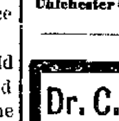

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No. 3	3:45 a m	No. 4	11:00 a m
No. 43	4:05 a m	No. 44	11:10 a m
No. 45	2:50 p m	No. 42	10:15 p m
No. 5	3:05 p m	No. 1	11:55 p m
No. 71 frt	5:45 a m	No. 70 frt	5:50 pm
TO TOLEDO		FROM TOLEDO	
No. 46	6:25 a m	No. 43	3:50 a m
No. 44	11:15 a m	No. 45	2:20 p m
No. 42	10:22 p m	No. 41	9:00 p m
No. 48 Effing.	8:15 p m	No. 47 Effing.	10:55 a m
TO QUINCY, ETC.		FROM QUINCY, ETC.	
No 43	4:20 a m	No 42	10:10 p m
No 45	3:10 p m	No 44	10:50 a m
No 1	9:07 p m	No 6	6:15 a m
No 47 Bluffs	6:45 a m	No 48 Bluffs	7:05 p m
No 71 Frt	12:30 p m	No 70 Frt	10:45 a m

Ind. Decatur & Western.

ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
No 1	8:00 p m	No 2	11:20 a m
No 3	8:50 a m	No 4	10:30 p m
Acc Tuscola	10:30 a. m.	Acc Tuscola	4:00 p m

Terre Haute & Peoria.

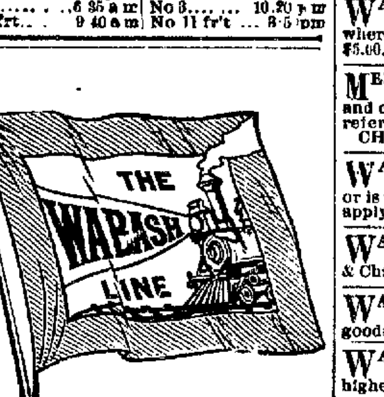
EAST.		WEST.	
No 2	3:10 p m	No 1	12:40 p m
No 4	7:10 a m	No 3 arr	7:20 p m
No 6	10:45 p m	No 7 frt arv	4:50 p m
No 8 frt arv	5:00 a m	No 9 frt	4:30 a m
No 10 frt	3:00 a m	No 5	6:38 a m

Illinois Central

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 2 pass	9:14 a m	No 1 pass	5:15 p m
No 4 pass	9:45 p m	No 3 pass	10:22 a m
No 13 accm	2:20 p m	No 11 frt	7:50 a m
No 10 freight	3:55 p m		
No 3 Champ'n Line, arrives			10:00 a m
No 4 " leaves			2:30 p m

Peoria, Decatur & Evansville.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 2	3.05 p m	No 1	11:00 a m
No 4	6 35 a m	No 3	10.20 p m
No 14 frt	9 40 a m	No 11 fr't	8 5 pm



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SUNDAY, MAY. 4, 1890.

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Wabash Excursions.

Special half-rate land seekers' excursions. On April 22, May 20, September 5 and 23, and October 14, the Wabash railroad company will sell special home seekers' excursion tickets to points in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Dakota, Idaho, Indian Territory, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Mississippi, Southwest Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Wyoming, Georgia, Florida and Kentucky, at the low rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be limited to 30 days from date of sale. Stop over will be granted. Solid trains consisting of elegant free reclining chair cars and Pullman palace sleeping from Decatur to Missouri river. For rates and all particulars call on or address, F. W. GREENE,
Pass. and Ticket Agt., Wabash Railroad Co., Decatur.

Building Stone and Walks.

Martin's process for making artificial stone is unsurpassed for sidewalks, office and basement floors, engine rooms, plain and ornamental building stone, etc., for all uses stone is adapted for. Price of building stone of any ornamental design will be furnished at less than half cost of natural stone. This stone is made from pure gravel sand and Portland cement, the cleanest of material and not subject to decay.

If you are going to build or improve your property where either brick or natural stone is required let me know what your requirements are. A satisfactory price is assured.

E. L. MARTIN,
628 North Main street.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottle 50c and $1 at all druggists. Sample bottle free. 1

Horses Wanted.

I will be at the Pratt stables, on North Church street, for a few days, commencing Thursday, May 8th. Will buy a carload of good low-set, blocky horses, weighing from 1,000 to 1,400 lbs., and from 5 to 8 years old, for the New England market. This is the time of year for trading in buggy and carriage horses—good movers. I can use a few of them now. The highest market price will be paid. EDWIN PRATT.

Booth and Modjeska

may catch the crowd at the Grand Opera House, April 26, but E. C. DeHaven, the decorator, catches the crowd all the time at his wall paper parlors, 316 North Main street, Library block. Call and see most beautiful goods, and the greatest bargains ever offered. Everything the finest, all work done in the best possible manner.

100 Ladies Wanted.

And 100 men to call on any druggist for a free trial package of Lane's Family Medicine, the great root and herb remedy, discovered by Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains. For disease of the Blood Liver and Kidneys it is a positive cure. For constipation and clearing up the complexion it does wonders. It is the best spring medicine known. Large size package 50 cents. At all druggists. 2

Ahrens & Damrow

wish to announce that they are now agents for the celebrated Best's Tonic, and are prepared to furnish same in any quantity. For nursing mothers and invalids in general there is no better preparation in use. Telephone No. 142, or call at our Bottling Works. AHRENS & DAMROW,
Proprietors.

A Pleasing Laxative.

Whoever has taken Hamburg Figs, will never take any other kind of laxative medicine. They are pleasant to the taste, and are sure in their actions, a few doses curing the most obstinate case of constipation or torpidity of the liver. 25 cents. Dose one Fig. Mack Drug Co., N. Y.

Texas Spring Palace, Ft. Worth, Tex.

On May 8, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26 and 29, the Wabash will sell round trip tickets for a lowest first-class fare, tickets are good returning up to and including June 3. For information regarding routes, rates, etc., call on or address F. W. Greene, passenger ticket agent, Wabash depot.

Syrup of Figs.

Produced from the laxative and nutritious juice of California figs, combined with the medicinal virtues of plants known to be most beneficial to the human system, acts gently, on the kidneys, liver and bowels effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds and headaches, and curing habitual constipation.

A Specific For Heart Disease.

Dr. Flint's Remedy, removes the danger of sudden death from heart disease, and cures longstanding cases of disease of the heart, bringing back health and strength. Descriptive treatise with each bottle; or address Mack Drug Co., N. Y.

Will Close on Sunday.

On and and after May 4th, my store, No. 142 Merchant street, will be closed on Sunday. Parties wishing cream for Sunday will please leave orders Saturday, and cream will be delivered up till noon on Sunday. A. J. WOOD.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Club will be held in the Christian church Monday, May 5, at 2 p. m.

MRS. GEORGE D. HAWORTH, Pres.
ALICE TYLER, Sec'y.

Big Opening.

Chicago Cheap store has opened a 3c department; 3,000 articles, all at 3 cents. Gold band dishes and Alfred Meaken china being received. Big Chicago Cheap store, South Side Park.

CALL AND SEE BACHMAN'S BABY

Buggies, largest line in the city.

Money to Loan

At all times on real, personal or chattle security. We buy and sell notes.

LEWIS & HANKINS,
136 Merchant St., over Mueller & Sons.

Bicycle Headquarters,

No. 110 and 114 William street in Library block. Wheels to rent to responsible parties. O. EWING, Manager.

Recital.

All interested are invited to attend the public recital to be given at the Decatur College of Music, Tuesday evening, May 6th, at 8 o'clock.

Largest Stock and Plain Figures.

All goods marked in plain figures at Muleady & Son's. Perfect fits guaranteed. Largest stock in the city.

J. Russell,

Phrenologist and fortune teller, is now located at 520 North Broadway. Everybody invited to call and have their fortunes told.

HERE'S A TELEGRAM.

The President of the Merchants Retail Commercial Agency Invites Investigation.

The merchants of Decatur will understand and appreciate the following telegram:

CHICAGO, May 3, 1890.

H. A. Haskell, Decatur, Ill.

The Merchants Retail Agency, of 53 Dearborn street, Chicago, invites the closest examination into its financial responsibility and the honesty and capability of its officers. An investigation will show that this agency is pre-eminently in advance of any similar agency in the United States.

P. H. EARLY, Pres't.

This Happened Here.

A colored man named Wilson, while tacking up posters calling for a democratic convention, was attacked and brutally beaten by three men on the depot platform yesterday afternoon. Wilson lay where he was struck down, for several minutes unconscious, and blood flowing from his mouth. Two young men pulled him into the shadow of the building and he remained there until sufficiently recovered to leave the place. The names of the men attacking him are not known or they would be printed, and if it were possible a great, red blush of shame would be printed around them also. Bystanders assure THE REVIEW that at the time of the attack at the depot the negro was going away and was giving no provocation to any one, unless the fact that he was carrying around democratic posters was a provocation. Wilson was employed to do that, just in the same manner he would be employed to do any other kind of work, and it was a perfectly legitimate way to earn the means of supplying his family with something to eat over Sunday.

If the same outrage had happened in the democratic south, the wires would be kept hot telegraphing the fact all over the nation, but happening in republican Illinois, to a colored republican, temporarily working for democrats, no action was taken towards arresting the attackers, and the affair will likely be dismissed with a sneer and the remark that "it was only a damned nigger, anyway."

Republicans, as a rule, love the colored man only when they can use him, exclusively.

Health in Old Age.

Edward Colliuson, Queens, N. Y., says: "I commenced using Brandreth's Pills over fifty-five years ago. I first bought them in London, and have continued using them since I came to this country in 1836. I am now over seventy-five years old, hale and hearty, and attribute my wonderful health to the presistent use of Brandreth's Pills. Occasionally I have had bad cold or severe attack of rheumatism, indigestion or biliousness, but four or five doses of Brandreth's Pills always cure me. Whenever my children have been sick with scarlet fever, measles, mumps, acid stomach, disordered digestion or costiveness, a few doses of Brandreth's Pills restored there health at once."

Brandreth's Pills are composed of numerous vegetables, so combined that each multiplies the virtues of the rest. They never can do any harm. Their action is always the same no matter how long or in what doses they are taken. They purify the blood. They stimulate the liver. They invigorate digestion. One or two at night for a week will demonstrate their power and is generally sufficient to cure ordinary diseases.

Brandreth's Pills are sold in every drug and medicine store, either plain or sugar coated.

More Open Letters.

DECATUR, ILL., Feb. 18, 1890.

I had been a sufferer with rheumatism for twelve years. Last summer I used two and a half boxes of the Cerrodanie Capsules and was completely relieved, and have had no return of rheumatism since. I keep a supply by me in case of a return of rheumatic trouble. CHARLES MCCUNE,
Millwright at Shellabarger's Mills.

DECATUR, ILL., Feb. 20, 1890.

A severe attack of rheumatism in my shoulder and arm was promptly cured by the use of Cerrodanie Capsules. I cordially recommend them. L. R. HART,
Engineer Wabash Railroad.

For particulars apply to the Cerrodanie company, 153 South Main.

A Pleasant Picnic.

Miss Carrie Whitehurst entertained her Sunday school class in the woods yesterday, and a most enjoyable time is reported by participants. The class consists of Misses Pauline Johnson, Maud Evans, Ida Voorhies, Grace Hamsher, Nina Quinlan, Myrtle Wheeler, Annie Roby, Fleeta Downing, Ida Weigand, Mary Ramsey, Ida Whiteside, Bertie Lanham, Nellie Nicholls, Sarah Imboden and Alma Wilhelmy.

Dust to Dust.

The late Charles W. Logan had many friends, not only in this city but throughout the south (where he traveled for years) who sincerely regret the death of their genial whole-souled friend. To his widow and two children the hearts of these friends go out in sympathy and the prayer is fervent that "He who doeth all things well" will comfort them and temper their grief with resignation. The funeral will take place from St. John's Episcopal church, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, Rev. M. M. Goodwin officiating.

A Shakespeare Picnic.

The Shakespeare club will have its last meeting this season to-morrow night with Miss Lucile Durfee. The play discussed will be "Romeo and Juliet." The close of a series of interesting and profitable meetings will be marked by a picnic Tuesday afternoon, when the club will go to Boiling Springs. A lunch will be served during the afternoon.

Letter Carrier's Report.

The following shows the number of pieces of mail handled by the carriers at this office for the month of April, 18901 Registered letters delivered, 164; letters delivered, 76,-100; postal cards delivered, 15,950; second, third and fourth-class matter delivered, 43,-587; local letters collected; 2,032; mail letters collected; 42,537; local postal cards collected, 1,576; mail postal cards collected, 9,243; second, third, and fourth-class matter collected, 7,090. Total number of pieces handled, 199,179.

Dissolution.

The firm of Osborn Bros., cigar manufacturers, has been dissolved by mutual consent. J. L. Osborn will continue the same business at 257 North Main street and Thomas Osborn at 629 North Water street.

Not at the Rooms.

Woman's club meeting Monday afternoon will be held at the Christian church instead of at the club rooms.

Salvation Oil is guaranted to cure rheumatism, sore throat, swellings, bruises, burns and frost bites. Price only 25 cents a bottle.

To make children healthy use plenty of air plenty of milk, plenty of sleep, and always have a bottle of Dr. Bull's cough syrup in case of croup.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Christian Church—400 North Main—Preaching by the pastor, T. W. Pinkerton, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. W. H. Penhallegon, pastor. Services in the Grand Opera House at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Evening subject, "The Church and the Poor." Sunday school in the church and at College street chapel at 2 p. m.

First M. E. Church—Class at 9 a. m. No preaching, morning or evening. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Meeting of the official board Monday evening; every member is urged to be present—important business.

Baptist Church — North Water— Rev. Dr. George B. Vosburgh, pastor, preaches at 10:30 a. m. The pastor having suffered from tonsilitis all the week, there will be no evening service. Sabbath school at 9 a. m.

St. John's Episcopal Church—Rev. M. M. Goodwin, rector. Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 p. m.

First Congregational Church—Library building, entrance from North Main street. Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m.

First English Evangelical Lutheran—Corner North Main and William streets.—Rev. M. L. Wagner, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Morning subject, "God's Justice Shown in Justification." Evening subject, "The Conversion of Sergius Paulus."

Edmund Street Chapel—401 East Edmund—Sunday school at 9 a. m.

U. B. Centenary Chapel—458 North Broadway, J. A. F. King, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m.

Stapp's Chapel, M. E. Church—304 East Eldorado—G. E. Scringer, pastor. Class at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Mission Sunday school, corner North Broadway and Herkimer streets, at 9 a. m.

W. C. T. U.—The services at the W. C. T. U. rooms to-day at 3:30 p. m. will be in charge of Decatur Lodge I. O. G. T. No. 364.

Universalist Church—Rev. Sophie Gibb, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Our Bright Particular Star." Evening, "The Work of This Life Continues in the Next."

Church of God—Corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets. Services at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Baptism in the Bible." Sunday school at 2 p. m.

Macedonian Church—Preaching at 7:30 Subject, "God's Memorial." Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Rev. William Thomas, pastor.

Y. M. C. A.—Rooms 143 Merchant street. Men's Gospel meeting at 2:30 p. m., This meeting will be given up largely to hearing reports from delegates to the Champaign conference. Strangers and commercial men specially welcome.

Amusements This Week.

Every night this week Master Frankie Jones and a good company will appear at the opera house in a repertoire of plays of a high order. The first play to-morrow night will be "Disowned." The prices will be 10, 20 and 30 cents. The Rockford Star said of the company:

"A full house greeted Master Frankie Jones and company at the opera house last night in "The Sea Waif." The play, a nautical drama, proved to be intensely interesting, and was well appreciated by the large audience present. The scene in the second act where Master Jones is rescued from the sea, almost exhausted, was well presented and excited great applause. The company carry their own scenery, and in the performance last night, and also the show Monday night, showed some very beautiful scenes.

"To-night 'Carl, the Outcast,' will be presented. It is a play abounding in funny situations, and one to make the people laugh. This will be the last appearance of the company and no doubt the house will be packed."

The W. C. T. U. Convention.

The annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of Macon county will be held at Casner, Ill., May 9, 10 and 11. The program announces addresses by Mrs. Lola Wilson, of Casner; Mrs. Dinwiddie, of Maroa; Mrs. Anna Persinger, of Maroa; Mrs. A. E. Sanford, of Bloomington; Mrs. Emma Lewis, of Macon; Mrs. L. C Shea, of Decatur; Miss Addie Northam, of Warren; Miss Mae McKenzie, of Decatur; Mrs. C. M. Ritchie, of Warrensburg; Miss Helen Walker, of Barry, and addresses on "Character Building" and "Social Purity" by Mrs. L. S. Rounds, of Chicago, state president. The Decatur union will be represented by Mrs. Cochran, Mrs. Stickle and Mrs. Davis, who have been appointed as delegates; also by Mrs. Holt, Mrs. Gay and other members of the union.

Real Estate Transfers.

F. T. Seeley to L. M. Dora Mitchell, tract in 10, 16, 2, east; $5000.

D. H. Heilman to August Labhart, lot 10, block 3, third rolling mill addition; $400.

E. Deck to Levi T. Towl, tract in 9, 17, 4; $300.

W. P. Shade et al to E. A. Stephens et al, lot 13, block 3, Carver's addition to the city of Decatur; $100.

Henry O. Evans to Sophie K. Zimmerman, portions of lot 18, 19, 20, in 15, 16, 2, east. Love affection and $1.

Henry Shlaudeman to Decatur Ice and and Cold Storage company, lots 8, 9, and 10, block 10, in Prather, Martin and Gatling addition; $5,000.

A Civil Suit.

A few days ago Daniel Schenck sued William Phares, in Justice Curtis' court, for a balance of $100, alleged to be due to complete the payments on 80 acres of land purchased by the defendant from plaintiff. The merits of the case were tried yesterday and resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff for $76.86. David Hutchison appeared for the plaintiff and I. A. Buckingham for the defense.

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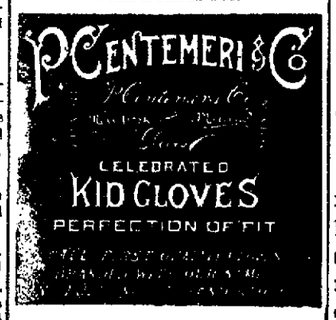

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

THIS WEEK

Linn & Scruggs

Have placed on sale at prices that will be found cheap.

1 Case of Outing cloth, 30 styles, at 9c.

2 Cases Outing cloth, very fine and beautiful styles, at 12½c.

1 Case latest French style fine sateen 22c.

30 Pieces 60-inch loom table linen, satin stripes, and handsome damask patterns, 56c.

40 Pieces 18 inch all linen crash at 5c a yard.

100 Dozen all linen fringed doyles at 25c a dozen.

100 Dozen ladies fine fast black hose, double heels and toes at 25c worth 40c.

60 Dozen ladies pin striped hose at 12½c

60 Dozen full regular pin striped hose at 20c.

100 Dozen fast black bicycle hose at 25c.

40 Dozen ladies ribbed vests at 9c, seconds.

40 Dozen pink and blue ribbed vests at 15c worth 25c.

100 26 inch sun umbrellas with gold and silver heads at 98c.

50 Real Helvetia silk umbrellas beautiful oxidized handles at $1.98.

Black and white caps and black, white and colored cloak for infants.

NOTE : THE : FACT

That we have the largest and finest stock of mens' and Boys' silk and flannel shirts and neckwear in the city. We also call special attention to our elegant assortment of dress goods, ladies wraps,

CARPETS, CURTAINS, & WALL PAPER

LINN & SCRUGGS.

GIVE US YOUR NAMES:

As we propose getting up a new directory, and in order to make it complete we wish the name and address of every lady who purchases goods in Decatur, no matter where she lives; and as an inducement to those favoring us with their name and address, we will give them a chance in the following prizes, namely:

1 Prize of 35 yards Lowell Body Brussels Carpet.
1 Prize of 20 yards of best black $2 silk.
1 Prize of one $25 cloak
1 Prize of 20 yards best black $1 silk.
1 Prize of 20 yards of best colored $1 silk.
1 Prize of 25 yards best Lowell Ingrain carpet.
1 Prize of one best $10 shawl.
1 Prize of one pair best $8 blankets.
2 Prizes each of 10 yards best 50 cent black cassimere.
1 Prize of one best $7 child's cloak.
2 Prizes each of one lady's $5 jacket.
1 Prize of one best $5 parasol.
1 Prize of one best $5 rug.
5 Prizes each of one best $5 gold headed lady umbrella.
5 Prizes each of one best $3 Marseilles spread.
4 Prizes each of one furniture protector carpet sweeper.
1 Prizes each of 3 yards best table linen at 75 cents a yard.
12 Prizes each of one pair $2 kid gloves.
40 Prizes each of 12 yards best dress ginghams.
12 Prizes each of one best $1 corset.
3 Prizes each of one best $1 kid gloves.
Or their equivalent in any other article of merchandise.

The drawing to take place the FIRST DAY of JANUARY, 1891. The prizes will be distributed under the direction of such persons as will insure justice and satisfaction to all.

Every lady who has her name in our directory will have one chance, that will cost her nothing except the trouble of giving us her address.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

WE ARE THE PEOPLE

Who save you money, and a glance at the prices below will convince you of it. The way our delivery wagons have been rushed the last few months show that the public is finding it out. Come in and see us. We always have bargains and job lots that give you a benefit. We began making low prices, the people appreciated our efforts, and are satisfied. So are we. Here is a

NEW BILL OF FARE.

SUGARS.

Granulated Sugar, 13 lbs for	$1 00
A Sugar, 13½ lbs for	1 00
15 lbs white extra C Sugar	1 00
15½ lbs C Sugar	1 00
Good Syrups, per gallon	40

COFFEE PACKAGES.

XXXX	25c
Arbuckles	25c
Lion	25c
Queen B	25c
Bonola	25c
Good Coffee in Bulk	25c
Best Bulk Coffee in town	25c
We defy competition on this brand.	

TEAS.

Japan	15c to 50c
Imperial (best)	50c
Y. H	35c to 50c
Japan Tea in 1 lb cans	40c

HAMS.

Kingham hams, per lb	12½c
California hams, per lb	7½c
Breakfast Bacon	12½c
Heavy Bacon	10c
Best lard, per lb	10c
Chipped dried beef	20c
Best coal oil per gallon	15c
Best vinager per gallon	20c

FLOUR.

Best roller process Flour, per sack 50 pounds	$1 05

SOAPS.

8 bars Logan & Beik's	25c
7 bars Lantz Bros'	25c
6 Lenox soap	25c
6 bars National	25c
12 bars Palm Leaf	25c

TOBACCO.

Star tobacco	45c
Climax tobacco	45c
Big 4 tobacco	30c
Horse Shoe tobacco, per pound	45c
Job lot of fine cut to close out	25c

MISCELLANEOUS.

Fancy raisins, new	10c
New French prunes,	8⅓c
Sardines, 7c, or 4 for	25c
Canned peaches in syrup,	20c
Canned black berries,	8⅓c
Sibley corn, 7c, 4 for	25c
Baking powder in pound cans	15c
Baking powder in bulk	15c
Mackerel in pound cans	10c
Baking powder, bulk 15c a lb 2 for	25c
Lemons, per doz	25c

THESE PRICES ARE FOR SPOT CASH.

Goods delivered to all parts of the city.

LOGAN & BEIK.

150 MERCHANT ST TELEPHONE 120.

EASTER SALE.

MISS ANNIE MCDONALD, back from Chicago, her beautiful selections received and put on sale with previous large purchases, making ours the largest and most attractive stock in Central Illinois. Orders for Easter hats and bonnets will receive prompt attention. Prices always 25 per cent below all competitors. Inspection solicited. Resp'y.

S. Q. HATCH & BRO. 142 E. MAIN STREET

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THINK WELL OF OUR TROWSERS ?

IF - YES, - YOU - HAVE - TRIED - THEM

If no, you never have. Prejudice instead of reason. Too Bad. Loses us money--You money. Be Reasonable. We now have on stock 1,000 pairs of Fred Myer & Brɔs' Celebrated Trowsers. See them.

B. STINE CLOTHING CO.

BRIDGET—"I Soiy, Moike, I war t ye to throt down to Ferriss & Lapham's an' git me a pair uv thim new stoyle foine shoes they are sellin' so chape, an' don't yez dare to show yer face back here without 'em."

MOIKE--"All right, Bridget, I'll do as you say. Your d- vice always was good, anyway, and I'll take it."

Bridget's advice is good for any body, and most of the people are acting on it, judging from the amount of goods that is being sold there.

A :-: FEW :-: BARGAINS !

An elegant line of Ladies' Oxfords, Patent Tip and Plain Toes. The prices range from 75c to $2.50, and all exceedingly cheap for the money we ask. You cannot duplicate the goods and prices elsewhere.

Men's Fine Shoes in all grades, at prices from $1 25 up to $6.50. We consider the Burt & Mears Shoe one of the best in our stock, and hundreds who have worn them can tell you they will give you better wear and more comfort than any shoe made. We sell Men's Fine Kangaroo Shoes at $2.25

Ladies' Hand-Sewed Patented French Process, double seam flexible Dongola Shoe. Nothing like it in Decatur and nothing like it to be had for the price. It is durable, warranted not to rip, very easy to the foot, pliable.

WE SELL THEM AT $2.25 PER PAIR.

FERRISS & LAPHAM,

Shoe Store

148 East Main St. : Decatur, Ill.

YOU MAY HAVE YOUR CHOICE.

A nice cottage, beautifully located, containing large well ventilated rooms with bath, furnace and late improvements Stands on 60 foot lot, has south front and commands a fine view

The handsomest and most reasonably priced suburban place offered in this city. Magnificent grounds, new 7 room house good barn and fine orchard The town is rapidly building up to it and the electric cars run within about 6 blocks The grounds can be platted into about 25 lots and sold.

A few elegant building lots, one especially fine on West Macon street two on Prairie Avenue and one on West William street Also lots in Millikin place and every desirable addition to the city

I am sure that no one can show a more complete list of vacant and improved city property than I have at this time and I am glad to point it out whether I make a sale or not.

C W MONTGOMERY.

2nd Floor Over Millikin's Bank Building.

MORNING REVIEW

SUNDAY, MAY, 4, 1890

YOURSELF AND OTHERS

Henry Dill is visiting friends at Peoria

Harry Crea, of Monticello, is in the city

Hiram Johnson left yesterday for Moweaqua.

Captain M H Goodrich is visiting at Mattoon.

Rev H W Trueblood went to Maroa yesterday

Dr S. H Swain was called to Blue Mound yesterday

A. O Bolen has returned from a business trip to Denver.

Al Crectors and wife have returned from a visit to Kansas

Miss Mattie Babcock is sojourning with friends at St Louis.

Mrs J L Kane of Sullivan, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mesdames [illegible] Kelso and W. B Barr are visiting in St [illegible]

Mrs Will Conde [illegible] arrive to morrow from Chicago for a [illegible] ie.

B. B Tuttle and [illegible] D. Randolph had business in Mt Zion yesterday

Oscar A Shuler left for Oreana yesterday to spend Sunday with his parents

Mrs J W. Butman is entertaining her brother, Enos Parmenter, of Boston.

Miss Lulu Beshel, of Pana, is visiting Mrs McClure on South Water street

Misses Lelah Ross and Maggie Murphey are in Mt Zion Sundaying with friends

Dr J S C Cussins was a visitor yesterday to Taylorville He went on business

Mrs Jacob Blenz and children departed yesterday for Tacoma, Wash, their future home

Miss Ella Niles of Tuscola is the guest of her cousin, Miss Rena Rust, on West Main street

J G Hoffman, of Monticello, has moved his family to this city and will engage in business here.

Miss Carrie Leonard of New York is visiting her sister, Mrs C. H Cassell of West Decatur street.

Mrs M J Givler returned last night from St Louis, where she has been visiting for several weeks

Miss Della Hunt, who has been visiting in this city, returned to her home in Mt Zion yesterday

Zenas Parmenter, of Waltham, Mass, brother of Mrs J W. Butman, leaves this evening for Chicago.

Mrs J. F Dinwiddie left yesterday for Chicago to rejoin her husband who has engaged in business in that city

Miss Nora Brush is now a bookkeeper and clerk at the coal office of Isaac Schoolcraft, on East Eldorado street

Mesdames J. A Stout, of Mt Vernon, O., and W. M Baldwin of Newark, O, are visiting J L Stout, 607 West Main street

Rev J L Cramer is very sick and his son and daughter have been called home from Springfield where they were attending school.

J S Royer has resigned his position at Kipp & Hart's grocery store and J D Denton has accepted the place thus made vacant.

Wayne Wilson went to Monticello yesterday He and his brother, Wiley, have bought George Blume's branch sewing machine store there

Drs. W B Hostetler and W J Chenoweth have returned from Kansas City where they were attending a meeting of the National association of railway surgeons

Victor Vette and wife have returned from Vincennes, Ind, where they attended the wedding of a sister of Mrs Vette, and Walter Murphy, a druggist of Terre Haute

John E Van Cleve and Charles Tidd, Blue Mound, Major Emery, Maroa, H C Allen and wife, Harristown, W. B Brinton son and daughter, Tuscola, J H Parker, D Huff, and B. F Shipley were visitors yesterday to Decatur.

The Sewer Judgment All Right.

Judge Mason B Loomis of Chicago was in the city all day yesterday examining the special assessment ordinances and the judgments obtained under them for constructing the new sewers He is one of the most able legal authorities in the country on such matters He was judge of Cook county when the larger part of the special assessment cases there were tried He was here yesterday as a representative of a Chicago firm of contractors that is thinking of bidding on sewers. After going over the whole matter thoroughly and examining the records of the city and the court, Judge Loomis expressed himself as satisfied that everything was correct legally, and that the judgments would stand. He spent last evening with Mayor Kanan, City Attorney McDonald Alderman Scanlan, and one or two others and returned to Chicago on the midnight train.

Orange Blossoms

James Lyman and Miss Nellie Leep, both formerly of this city, where they number their friends by the score, were married last Tuesday at Spokane Falls, Wash. William Lehey, also formerly of Decatur acted as "best man" and Miss Mary Capps made a lovely bridesmaid. THE REVIEW extends both ☞ ☞ to the happy couple in congratulation, and joins their many friends in this city in the hope that Life's choicest sweets may be their's unmixed with sorrows, bitterness, or life's regrets.

Grand Exhibition

of our new styles in wall paper this week. Call and see the interior decorations of our store and take advantage of the biggest bargains ever offered E. C. De Haven, plain and decorative paper hanger, 316 North Main street, library block.

Death of Deacon Wood.

Deacon George Wood, father of E. W. and A. J. Wood, died early this morning at his residence, 525 Macon street, after an illness of several weeks.

MINERS MEET

And Resolve on a Course of Action, But They Refuse to Talk.

The miners held a meeting last night in a hall on East Eldorado street, the object of which was to decide on some course of action in regard to the impending strike. The proceedings were of a secret nature—no outsiders were admitted, and nearly all individual miners refused to talk when approached by a REVIEWER. However, it was learned that a committee had been appointed to wait on General Superintendent Moran to-day and inform him that the miners have decided to demand an advance of 5 cents a ton for mining; and this to apply only to filling orders for the local trade. Coal for outside consumption will not be mined for less than the price called for by the scale adopted some time ago at Columbus, O. There are four members of the committee, and the reporter was told the names of three of them J. J. Donahue, F. M Keown and D Downey The other name was not remembered When asked what the meeting had decided upon, Mr Donahue said he had nothing to tell for publication, but was obliging enough to state that when there was anything intended for the public, he would give it. He might have something to say next Monday Superintendent Moran could not be seen last night and therefore what answer he will give the committee can only be surmised, but it is well known that he is a fair man, a friend of laboring men, and an advocate of their rights and therefore it is safe to assert their demands will be seriously met, and if in his power, promptly acceded to, if upon investigation he finds them to be just.

It is understood that the miners stopped loading cars yesterday afternoon, and will probably do no more mining unless their requests are granted.

THE REVIEW POSTOFFICE

EDITOR REVIEW —Your article in yesterday's REVIEW about the doings of Street Commissioner Alexander must have stirred that worthy up somewhat as he and his chief Mayor Kanan, were seen driving about together in the evening viewing the most neglected of the many neglected places in the streets of Decatur remote from the business part of the city. We saw them look menacingly at a lovely fish pond Alexander's neglect had made at the corner of William and Franklin streets, and ye inhabitants fear it is to be done away with in the misty future We have learned to love it because of the familiarity with which it wets the hems of our ladies' garments and casts mud on our boots, and would greatly miss it if taken away before hot weather comes and its miasmatic poisons fill our homes with sickness. COMPLAINANT

ANOTHER

EDITOR REVIEW —Edmund street between Clinton street and the Illinois Central is in a horrible condition, and has been so for lo! these many weeks. What time the street isn't impassable because of mud, it is navigable for nearly all small water craft, and the souls of the people who live hereabouts and pay taxes and bear municipal burdens with the rest cry out in rebellion at this injustice. If Street Commissioner Alexander cannot find time to leave Church street and the center of the city, would it not be a wise act to place him on the retired list, and give him all the time there is so that he may spend it in contemplation of the beauties of Church street and of the wonderful workings of an outraged people's boomerang. EDMOND

College Notes.

Miss Nina Putnam recently passed a very successful test in short hand. A noticeable feature of her work being neatness and despatch.

Charles C. Walsh and Thomas Gilvere, two of Piatt county's successful teachers, made a brief call at the college, while in the city yesterday.

Miss M Van Horn, instructress in shorthand, is visiting friends in a surburban town over Sunday.

A lively time is anticipated during the coming week in the penmanship class for the prize medals and engrossed diploma

Prof G. W. Brown and the other stockholders of the Brown's Business College company held a meeting in Jacksonville yesterday to devise and perfect plans for the coming year.

Charles F Boys of Shelbyville expects to spend the summer on the farm with his father and finish the business course next fall and winter.

The "Gospel of Wealth" is the all absorbing topic in the short-hand department at present, no small number of students being engaged in copying the production.

Ulysses Miche and J. F. Taylor have completed the business course and the former has now commenced the work in short hand

J B. Foster has laid the many details of business practice "on the shelf" for the present and engaged himself with shorthand and typewriting

Undoubtedly the most pleasant picnic party of the season, was that of yesterday afternoon, given in honor of Miss Nina Putnam, who leaves next week for her home. The crowd consisted of some of the college faculty, students and a few immediate friends. With well-filled baskets they left the city about 2 o'clock and proceeded to the banks of the Sangamon, where in the shade of a beautiful grove they made a halt. The afternoon was spent in gathering flowers and playing games, at the close of which a goodly supper was spread. As the twilight blended into night, the party started for home with empty baskets and brimfull of an afternoon's sport

Trotting Association Matters.

The directors of the Trotting association met last night at the office of Secretary Taylor and allowed some bills for work done. The buildings and track will be done in about two weeks. The nominations to $1,000 guarantee stake closed on May 1, with very satisfactory results.

The members of the association are considering the advisability of having a county fair with the fall meeting. Different men from the county have suggested that it be done, and the directors are thinking favorably of the matter, though a decision will not be made at once. Still if it is to be done at all, they want to come to a conclusion as soon as possible and so begin to get ready for it.

Consumption's Victim.

Mrs. Melissa Hurst, aged 43 years, 7 months and 28 days, died yesterday afternoon, of consumption, at her home, 1044 West Charles street. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon from the residence.

Foot Mashed.

Charles Chenoweth, a bridge carpenter in the employ of the Wabash, was injured at Hamilton, Ill., last Friday, and brought to his home in this city where Dr. W. B. Hostetler attended him. A bridge car passed over his right foot and mashed it severely.

A NEW PAPER.

It is a Bright Publication but Has No Regular Day of Issue.

The Art class which meets every Saturday afternoon for work, and during the course of a year does a great deal of solid, substantial work, has about once a month an "off-day" when the members come together and pass an evening at which the lighter affairs of social and literary life are more prominent. Such a meeting was the one held last night with Mrs. J E Bering. Quite a number of friends were invited to be present, so that whereas the class has but 19 members, the company numbered almost 60. The avowed purpose for calling the meeting was the presentation to the class of the first number of a newspaper prepared by three members, appointed for that purpose.

The editors were Mesdames V. G Hatch and J. E Bering and Miss Jack. After the company had been seated in the large parlors the paper was read by Mrs. Bering and Mrs. W E Nelson It was called "The Minerva-Palladium," and was described in the salutatory, which came first, as an example of "a literary convulsion that occurs in the art class monthly." Continuing, the editors said "The primary purpose is to win glory for the art class, and its first great concern will be to furnish 'gas,' not in its concrete, commercial quality, but in its higher sense of rhetorical application.' The editors did not "assume that this is a realization of the predication of the feminization of journalization We cheerfully submit that we are a side issue—true daughters of Eve, without a desire to raise Cain; therefore we will be neutral in politics in the best sense of the word"

The "bow" was of a humorous turn, and, as stated in it, was modeled on a singular form lately thought out by "a highly hypnotated contemporary" It was a fit introduction to a paper in which there was so much that was bright, amusing and entertaining. With many sparkling flashes of wit, and the steady flow of humor, there was a delicate reference or two to shadows that have come into the lives of members of the class in the last few months Frequent clapping of hands interrupted the readers, and at the conclusion a hum of approval was heard.

After the salutatory came "A Tribute to E. A G" then the "Decatur Art Class" That was followed by "Lines to the Twins," by Mrs C. E R, and a "Remembrance of Mrs. C. E R" "The Bells of Limerick," and "The Rhyme of the Ancient Householder," were next after which were personals, "Jokes and Conundrums," in which the members heard various interesting and surprising facts about themselves and their friends. The rest of the paper was made up of a letter written at the Champs Elysees, Paris, "The Strange Case of Mrs. B O McR," "Locals," "A Boomlet," "New Books," and "Veni, Vidi, Vici"

The reading was divided into two parts, with an intermission of some minutes "for drinks," one of the gentlemen said. After the paper Mrs. R. L. Walston was announced as the orator of the evening. She had prepared a very elaborate dissertation on peanuts, for which she used the Latin name and by a plentiful use of Shakespearean quotations and learned phrases, made the despised peanut a very imposing object. Miss Berry sang a solo that was appreciated.

STRAY SCRAPS.

Norman Roberts, father of T. J. Roberts, is dangerously sick at his home near Niantic.

About a dozen of the Business college teachers and students had a picnic yesterday at the river.

Yesterday was a very busy day in the county clerk's office, owing to the great press of probate matters.

Over 50 couples have been invited to participate in the festivities of an "infair" to be given by F. A. Bachman to John Radmacher and bride.

Master Frankie Jones and his company are at the Deming. They will begin their week's engagement at the opera house to morrow night

Levi Hall and Tom Day, letter carriers, have been remodeling their houses, the former at an expense of $300 and the latter at an expense of $700

Fire Chief Foster is Decatur's "dependent" Bill all right enough but that fact doesn't justify the payment of a $1,500 a year pension to him by the city.

The Short Line has set poles and will lay track next week through King's orchard on Edward street. A band concert will be given in the orchard on Friday evening and these concerts will probably be continued during the summer.

The merchants kicked last night because the rain came at 8 o'clock instead of 9 Then the business would have been over with, but as it was the usual Saturday night trade was badly knocked out.

John Radmacher and Maggie Embacher settled their troubles yesterday morning and the charges of bastardy, bawdy house keepers, etc, have been withdrawn. Radmacher pays the girl $50 and also pays all the costs of the suits at law

W. H Bramble has purchased a driving horse of J. K. Warren for $225. He will use the animal in the collection of mail after Postmaster Jack's term of office expires.

The Wayne Manufacturing company moved into their new three story addition last week. A 15 horse power electric motor that is to run the machinery was put in place Friday.

The wheels and frame of the old double cylinder chemical engine has been bought by the trotting association, and will be made into a sprinkler wagon for use on the track and grounds of the association.

Coal dealers had some difficulty yesterday in getting coal delivered. They had to depend upon their own teams, as the teamsters who usually haul on their own account were busy elsewhere.

The Crescent Tennis club at its meeting Friday night took in four new members—Misses Mattie Foster, Ottie Alexander, and Messrs. Will Nicholson and Oscar Dawson. The club expects to have its first games early this week.

The ice factory has been shipping ice to Sullivan and other neighboring towns at the rate of a car a day. The capacity of the factory is just 20 tons, which is a carload. It is expected that when the weather gets warm about all the output will be consumed in Decatur, and only an occasional car can be shipped. There is a big demand now for all that can be made.

The sixth birthday of little Walter Persons was celebrated yesterday by about 25 of his friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs Frank Persons, on Prairie Avenue. They played games on the lawn and in the house, and finally closed the day with a fine supper. Walter received several handsome presents.

A most sorry looking outfit of a mover's wagon with two dilapidated looking horses passed the city yesterday. The legend, "World's Fair, Chicago," was painted on the sides of the wagon. The shadow of a man inside refused to communicate anything about his whenceness or his whereness.

Members of the G. A. R have received from R. A. Alger, the commander of the order, a circular calling their attention to the approach of Decoration day, and the importance of observing it appropriately Dunham post at its next meeting will begin preparation for the Memorial day services

An old man with thin, white hair, tolerably well dressed and having the air of being a person of more than ordinary intelligence, was seen yesterday afternoon reeling along William street so drunk he could hardly stand. Passersby stopped to looked at him pityingly, and none felt like jeering.

Hereafter if Decaturites wish to have smooth faces on Sundays they will have to get shaved on Saturdays, as the barbers have about determined to do no more work on Sunday Richard E Roland was circulating a paper yesterday, the signers of which pledged themselves to quit Sunday work and most of the barbers in town signed it. It is thought that all will enter into the agreement before next Sunday

DISMISSED

The Case of the Wabash Detectives Against the Chicago Boy No Good

Charles Sigafoose, the young man whose maltreatment by the Wabash detectives the readers of THE REVIEW are familiar with, was in Justice Stevens' court yesterday to answer to the charge of trespass, preferred by Detective Ballard. A change of venue was taken to Justice Hammer's court and then I. A. Buckingham, attorney for the boy, began piling up law, facts, figures, eloquence and common sense before the Justice to show why the arrest was unwarranted and the prosecution malicious. Always able Mr. Buckingham was unusually so yesterday, for was he particularly tender of the feelings of the detectives, when in his forcible word painting he pictured the wrongs of young Sigafoose, and portrayed the part taken by Austin in their infliction The case was dismissed and "the crook of the bluffing sort" as the Evening Republican called the young stranger was discharged. The result of the trial proves just where the "bluffing" was being done and the action of Justice Hammer in the matter meets the approval of everyone at all conversant with the facts. There was a large number of spectators present in the court room and it was plainly evident that their sympathies were with the boy from start to finish

The matter is not yet ended A civil suit for damages will be begun against the Wabash railroad, for false imprisonment and others, will most likely be brought against the officers for the recovery of the money Sigafoose claims to have had taken away from him

TRACK AND TRAIN

Auditor Penny of the I. C., was in the city yesterday

Barnum's advertising car left yesterday for St. Louis.

Engineer Nolte, of the P., D & E, is enjoying a layoff.

The I, D & W. company has opened a night telegraph office at Dana, Ill

W. R Bradley, car accountant of the J. S. E, is in the city visiting friends.

E Loyd, bridge foreman of the P. D & E., will spend Sunday with friends in Mattoon

Brakeman Stewart of the Illinois Central has been promoted to a freight conductor ship.

Jo Mauzy has sufficiently recovered from his sickness to resume his duties at the depot.

S. A. Fienner, upholsterer at the Wabash shops, left yesterday for Toledo, O, to visit relatives.

J A Rogan, railway mail clerk, came in last night He will Sunday with the "old folks at home."

Illinois Central switch engine 151 was sent to the Clinton shops last night for a general overhauling

Express Messenger McCool, of the T. H. & P, has returned from Ohio, after a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Trainmaster Reed of the Illinois Central, was in the city yesterday, looking at the place where the new depot ought to be.

J N. Chandler, traveling freight agent of the Louisville & Nashville, was calling on Decatur shippers and railroad men yesterday.

C. F. Hildreth, Illinois Central agent at El Paso, has been sent to Pana, to take Agent Briggs' place, and F C Baldwin, of Foreston, will fill the place made vacant by Hildreth at El Paso

James Cultor, division freight agent of the Illinois Central, was in the city yesterday and although he could hear of plenty of freight to be handled he could not discover any great amount of it that owners intended should be handled by the Central.

There is to be an immense meeting of all the different unions of railway employes of the United States at Indianapolis, Ind, on the 21st, the object of which is to endeavor to secure the consolidation of all the unions into one. Decatur will be represented.

For the past week all the railroads in this city have been loading every available car with coal and distributing it at different points along the lines. This has been done in anticipation of a strike among the miners, and it is not at all unlikely, in view of recent developments, that this precaution on their part will prove to be a very wise one.

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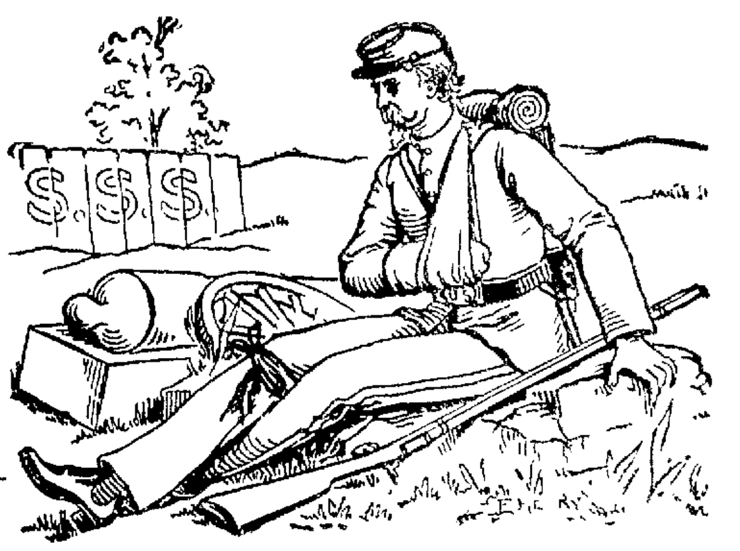

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JOHN C [illegible]

For thirty years I was afflicted with bl[illegible] commenced taking S S S [illegible] using five bottle[illegible]
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"I suffered for twenty years from blood poisoning [illegible] cured me entirely"
[illegible]

"For about eight years I was afflicted with a running [illegible] of pain and no end of trouble and inconvenience I was [illegible] section but without receiving any benefit [illegible] cluded to try Swift's Specific (S S S) and the result [illegible] and well There has been no sign of a return [illegible]
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17 " C sugar	1 [illegible]	[illegible]	
CANNED GOODS		[illegible]	
3 lb sugar corn worth 20c per can only	10	[illegible]	
2 " sugar corn [illegible] cans for		[illegible]	
3 " tomatoes [illegible] cans for		SYRUP	
Table peaches in heavy syrup per can		[illegible]	
1 lb Salmon (warranted) per can		[illegible]	
Blackberries per can		[illegible]	
String Beans per can		[illegible]	
Succotash per can		[illegible]	
MEATS		SPICES	
Best ham per lb		[illegible]	5
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